

General, County and Local News Items

Of General and Local Interest--Possibly Something About You

John Scott had business in Kennett Saturday.

Window glass at Lefler's.

Miss Letitia McFarland was in Caruthersville Saturday.

Salvet stock remedies at Lefler's.

H. Thompson, superintendent of the county farm, was in Caruthersville Friday.

Bill Parks was in from the farm Monday.

Lee Brand Flour, exclusively at Averill's Store.

Everett Baird made a business trip to Caruthersville Friday.

Miss Jessie Hill was shopping in Caruthersville Saturday.

Those Iron-Clad Hose are made to wear. Try them. At Buckley's. 12-11

Chris Settle was in Caruthersville Saturday.

W. H. Sutton was visiting his son, Sam, at Sikeston Sunday.

FOR SALE--Four vacant lots, cheap for cash. L. E. Rice.

Ed Aldrich, a good farmer of near Caruthersville, was here Sunday.

W. J. Schilling and Bob Easley were Hayti people who were in the county seat Sunday afternoon.

Judge J. S. Gossom, one of the best officers this county ever had, was shaking hands with his many friends in Hayti Friday. We don't know whether the Judge has his weather eye open on anything or not, but we hope soon to have the pleasure of seeing him in the political field again. He is one who does his duty as he sees it, disregarding his personal feelings.

Hay for Sale.

1000 bales of good mixed hay for sale at \$12 per ton at the Modern Gin, or see Fred Morgan, Hayti, Mo.

School Directors' Convention

A convention of school directors was held at the court house Saturday, February 19. Between seventy-five and one hundred directors and school officials were in attendance, besides several teachers.

Free text-books, which are now in use in a number of rural schools and in almost every town school in the county except Caruthersville, were, without a single exception, reported by the directors as being highly satisfactory. After adopting free text-books a district must supply at once at least the first four grades and within three years the remainder up to and including the eighth grade. In the fifteen districts in Pemiscot county so supplying free texts, not a penny of taxes was required during the year to purchase the books, all payments having been made from the free text-book apportionment of the state foreign insurance tax. Districts having private ownership of school books receive no part of this money. Superintendent Johnson of Hayti reported not the least dissatisfaction with the plan in his school and advanced twelve strong reasons for its continuance. The large cities of the state, almost without exception, from St. Louis on down, have adopted the plan. Three years operation of the free text-book law has proven it both wise and useful, making the schools more efficient, increasing attendance and relieving parents of an expense, which to many was a serious problem. Judging from the expressions of the directors, there will be but a few districts in the county in which the notices for the Annual School Elections will not carry a submission of the free text-book question.

School attendance, reports, notices, records, and a number of other questions were covered in an instructive way by different directors. Discussions were general, nobody monopolizing the time, as is frequently the case. Arrangements were made by which all the boards of the county will have an unbiased record of the character of teaching done by each of the rural teachers of the county. Taken as a whole the directors of the county are representative of the best citizenship of each community, and while they sometimes may make mistakes, as everybody else does, yet they are sincerely in earnest in their desire to improve their schools, and more than eager to assist and bear a large part of the burden with the conscientious teacher and superintendent.

The law providing for School Board Conventions is another wise law. --Contributed.

Cotton Seed for Sale.

Pure Rowlen cotton seed for sale at \$1 per hundred pounds. at Modern Gin, or see Fred Morgan, Hayti, Mo.

G. M. Brooks of Greenway, Ark., was in this city Saturday and Sunday, preaching at the Methodist church Sunday, and returned home Monday morning. The Reverend says he likes Pemiscot county better, and is preparing to move back to his old stamping ground.

Remember, we are going to have a first-class trimmer in our millinery department in plenty of time for your Easter hat. Buckley's. 12-11

Bill Lambdin and wife are now located at Senath, so Bill says. Bill passed through this city Friday on his way to Caruthersville, where he was with the Senath basket ball team, also attended to some business matters.

City Marshal W. E. Robertson was attending to business in Portageville Monday, leaving in charge of the marshal's office, R. W. Brooks.

E. L. Sorrell, the sorghum king, was in Hayti Monday and of course took out a supply of groceries.

For Associate Judge.

Esq. J. L. Baker authorizes us this week to announce him as a candidate for associate judge of the county court from the first district.

While Mr. Baker's postoffice is Portageville, yet he lives in Pemiscot county, and is now justice of the peace of Godair township, now serving his first term.

Mr. Baker is a native of Tennessee and came to this county about eight years ago, and feels that he has been in the county sufficient time to know what is best and good for her citizens. He is inclined to think that the county taxes are just a little higher than necessary, and that if he is elected he will make an effort to have them reduced.

While Mr. Baker is a stranger to us, yet we understand he has many friends and warm supporters in the north part of the county. He states that he has never held office before, and upon this ground he would appreciate any support given him at the primary election, August 1, 1916.

Pure Sugar House Molasses in any size packages, at Buckley's. 12-11

Joel Bennett of Caruthersville has moved from that city to this city, moving this week.

Henry Hayes, who has been seriously ill for several weeks is improving.

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Mrs. A. V. Eachus left Sunday for a few weeks visit with her mother and friends in Morley.

Roy and Guy Settle attended to business at Caruthersville Saturday.

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Miss Mamie Pickens spent Sunday in the Cape visiting homefolks.

B. L. Guffy attended the Republican meeting at Charleston Saturday.

Cherry bark cough syrup will relieve that cough. At Lefler's.

Geo. Hudson of the Gayoso neighborhood was trading in this city Saturday.

Haiman and Julius Kohn of Kennett spent Sunday with homefolks in Hayti.

M. Hirschowitz, a merchant of Senath, was in this city a while Monday, stopping over while en route from Caruthersville.

Mrs. Lee Byrd and nephew, Leon Settle, returned to their home in Gideon Sunday morning after a very pleasant visit in Hayti.

We have added a new line of Men's Ready-to-Wear Pants. Look them over before you buy. Buckley's. 12-11

Our new arrival of spring hats are now in, and the low prices are selling them, too. Make your selection quick before yours is gone. Uncle Fuller's Variety Store.

All the best and latest in drinks, at Scott & Morgan's saloon. Or if you want whiskey, wine or beer for your family or for medicine, the stock is large and you can get what you call for. 11

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Are You a Woman?

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Here is The Business Man.

Neosho Times:--The Times takes great pleasure in publishing the announcement of Cornelius Roach, Secretary of State for the Democratic nomination for governor. Mr. Roach is well known in Newton County, in fact his name is almost a "household word." His home is at Carthage and the people of this county feel a neighborly interest in his success. In addition to that, we know that Mr. Roach has made an honest, capable and efficient public official and deserves the high place he holds in the estimation of the people. There has been considerable talk within the past few years about giving the state a "business administration" and if that is what we should have, Mr. Roach is the one man above all others to give it to us. He knows state affairs better than anyone and his ability and honesty are recognized by everyone. It is only stating a condition to say that the Democrats of Newton County are for Roach for governor.

Some of the swellest candy that ever came to town arrived this week at Uncle Fuller's Variety Store.

L. Kohn, accompanied by his wife and son, Julius, left for St. Louis Sunday night, where they will buy goods for Mr. Kohn's two stores, in this city and Kennett.

More Men Than Women Have Appendicitis.

Surgeons state men are slightly more subject to appendicitis than women. Hayti people should know that a few drops of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, often relieve or prevent appendicitis. This mixture removes such surprising foul matter that one spoonful relieves almost any case of constipation, sour stomach or gas. The instant, easy action of Adler-ika is surprising. L. L. Lefler. 3

Local and Personal.

O. F. Kassel visited homefolks at the Cape Sunday, and Monday stopped over at Chaffee on business.

We have 30 dozen more of those good 25-cent Silk Hose. These are the last we can get at the price. Buckley's.

Geo. B. Webb of the Dowd-Gayoso neighborhood was attending to business matters in Hayti Monday.

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! Positively our 15% reduction sale closes with February. Uncle Fuller's Variety Store.

It is Summertime in FLORIDA and along the Gulf Coast of Texas

Call on or write the Frisco agent and let him help you plan a winter trip.

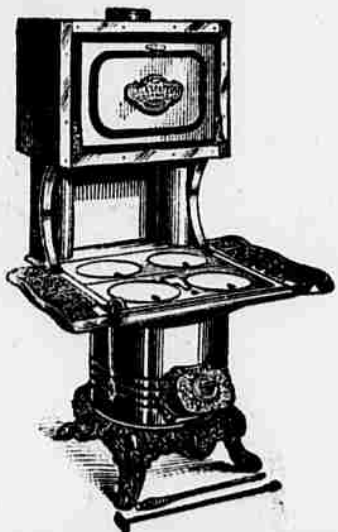
Escape from the cold, the ice, the snow--take advantage of the low fares that are now in effect. You will be agreeably surprised at what a small sum of money is necessary to take you to Summertime via the Frisco Lines.

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